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*The Perfect Story:
The Perfect Redeemer Revealed*

Ruth 4

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1. A take charge man acts decisively. (Ruth 4:1-6)
2. Commitments are made in the open. (Ruth 4:7-10)

3. The Happy Ending (Ruth 4:11-17)

4. The Happy Never Ending (Ruth 4:18-22)

Table Talk

- 1) How does Boaz act decisively? What might we learn from his actions? (vv. 1-6)
- 2) Explain the purpose of the exchange of sandals. Why is it that commitments like marriage be publicly declared? How does this differ from the idea of living together? (vv. 7-10)
- 3) In what ways do we see how Jesus redeemed “so that the dead would not disappear”?
- 4) Why do people celebrate at weddings? What three prayers do the elders offer? (vv. 11-12) Why is one of the requests sort of strange?
- 5) What prayer do the women pray over Naomi? (vv. 14-15)
- 6) Why are verses 18-20 part of a “happy never ending”? How do these verses point out in very subtle fashion the ultimately perfect redeemer?